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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 24 August 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☐ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

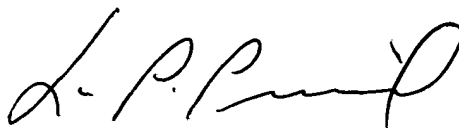
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☒ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

*The, 50 plus page, amendment would involve materially added work on the part of the Office in checking the excessive editorial changes in the specification and claims. The amendment would also require more than a cursory review of the record.*

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